GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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SECURITY OF MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has held any meeting regarding the security of Members of Parliament;

(b) if so, the details and recommendations made in the said meeting;

(c) whether the Union Government has issued such recommendations to the State Governments; and

(d) if so, the details alongwith the reaction of the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS(SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL)

(a) to (d): Security to the Members of Parliament is provided on the basis of threat perception which is carried out by the concerned security agencies, and is reviewed from time to time. The State Government are advised that the security arrangements for the Members of Parliament be reviewed and further strengthened particularly during their visits/stay in the States in order to prevent any untoward incident.

Delhi Police is also asked to take measures to further strengthen the security of Members of Parliament in Delhi, particularly during the Parliament Sessions by increasing area security, installing CCTVs at prime locations, placing more mobile Gypsies for close watch in VIP areas, etc.